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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairperson, Fine Arts Commission

FROM:

Harry E. Fitzwater

Deputy Director for Administration

SUBJECT:

Bronze of General Donovan

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1. Sam Anderson from Big Sky, Montana, is doing the statue of Donovan for STAT the DCI STAT

- 2. Sam is a very good artist and sculptor who will do a good job. The Director was shocked at prices that the well-known sculptors were asking. Of course, he likes the deal with Sam. The DCI concluded also that Sam knows more details about Donovan than anyone else. Sam has done considerable research on Donovan including visiting the OSS Association in New York and acquiring films and photos of Donovan. He has found a lawyer whose build and weight is the same as Donovan who will act as a model.
- Sam is preparing different poses of Donovan for the DCI's selection. These should be ready in the near future. When finished, he will bring them back for the DCI's selection. I will pass the word for him to bring a piece of his work and let you see it.
- 4. Since this was the DCI's project and he plans to pay for it, the Commission was not involved. Nevertheless, I would like for Sam to meet you on his next visit.

/s/ Harry

Harry E. Fitzwater :r

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